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SUBJECT: BIOGRAPHIC NOTE: BORIS VELCHEV REAPPEARS

REF: SOFIA 2492

BORIS VELCHEV, POLITBURO MEMBER AND BCP CENTRAL
COMMITTEE, REAPPEARED DECEMBER 22, AFTER ABSENCE
FROM PUBLIC VIEW OF MORE THAN TWO MONTHS, TO SEE
TODOR ZHIVKOV OFF FOR VISIT TO LIBYA. RUMOR
HAS IT THAT 62-YEAR-OLD VELCHEV HAS BEEN VERY ILL.
(IN AIRPORT PHOTO, HE IS WEARING DARK GLASSES.)
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